IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: AMI DODUCO GmbH & WIELAND-WERKE AG

Serial Number: 10/553581

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For: ELECTRICAL PLUG CONTACTS AND A SEMI-FINISHED PRODUCT FOR THE

PRODUCTION THEREOF

Docket Number: 14261

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

26 May 2009

Sir:

This communication is responsive to your Office Action dated 28 April 2009, having a shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on 28 May 2009. Accordingly this response is timely filed on 26 May 2009.

In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicant elects Group I, Claims 1-19, drawn to an article.

CONCLUSION

Applicant asserts that all of the objections have been overcome, and now respectfully requests withdrawal of those objections and an allowance of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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